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In re Application of :  
Albert K. Chin :  
Application No. 09/635,345 :  
Filed: August 9, 2000 :  
Atty Dcet No.: AKC-22900 [R0171] :

This is a decision in response to the petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed August 17, 2005, to revive the above-identified application.

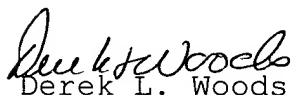
This Petition is hereby granted.

The above-identified application became abandoned for failure to reply in a timely manner to the non-final Office action, mailed December 16, 2004. The Office action set a three (3) month period for reply, and provided for extensions of time under 37 CFR 1.136(a). No reply having been received, the application became abandoned on March 17, 2005. The mailing of this Decision precedes the mailing of a Notice of Abandonment.

With the instant petition, Petitioner has satisfied the requirements of a grantable petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b). An Amendment in response to the December 16, 2004 Office action has been filed with the instant petition.

This application is being forwarded to Technology Center Art Unit 3738 for processing of the Amendment, filed August 17, 2005, in due course.

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